

March 21, 2003

MEMORANDUM TO: William D. Travers
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary */RA/*

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - SECY-02-0225 - PROPOSED
CRITERIA FOR THE TREATMENT OF INDIVIDUAL
REQUIREMENTS IN A REGULATORY ANALYSIS

The Commission has approved the staff's recommendation to publish the proposed criteria for the treatment of individual requirements in a regulatory analysis in the Federal Register for public comment, subject to the changes in the attachment.

The staff should provide the final criteria to the Commission for review not only if there are significant changes to the criteria (as proposed by the staff), but also if there are significant adverse comments regarding the criteria.

Attachment: Changes to the Federal Register notice in SECY-02-0225

cc: Chairman Meserve
Commissioner Dicus
Commissioner Diaz
Commissioner McGaffigan
Commissioner Merrifield
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Office Directors, Regions, ACRS, ACNW, ASLBP (via E-Mail)
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Changes to the Federal Register notice in SECY-02-0225

1. On page 2, 1st full paragraph, revise line 1 to read ‘ ... documents related to ~~these~~ **this** proposed’
2. On page 3, paragraph 2, line 10, insert a comma after “that”.
3. On page 3, indented text at the bottom, revise line 1 to read ‘**[A]** ~~---~~a disciplined,’
4. On page 5, paragraph 1 in the Discussion section, revise line 5 to read ‘ ... to SECY-02-0225 ~~XXXX~~, which is’
5. On page 5, last paragraph, revise line 1 to read ‘ ... the NRC has ~~expanded the~~ **added** ~~more~~ guidance regarding’
6. On page 6, lines 6 and 7 from the top, insert a period after “complexities” and delete the remainder of the sentence (up through “individual requirements”.)
7. On page 6, last paragraph, revise line 1 to read ‘ ... with this comment. ~~The~~ **as the** current’
8. On page 7, 1st full paragraph, revise line 2 to read ‘ ... then that ~~fact~~ **alone** is a’
9. On page 8, 1st full paragraph, revise line 4 to read ‘ ... final criteria ~~if provided~~ there are no’ In line 6, start a new paragraph after the period.
10. On page 9, at the end of the 1st full paragraph, add the following: “Even though inclusion of individual requirements is necessary in this case, the analyst should obtain separate cost estimates for each requirement, to the extent practical, in deriving the total cost estimate presented for the aggregated requirements.”
11. On page 9, footnote 2, revise line 2 to read ‘ ... that conforms to ~~these~~’
12. On page 10, 1st full paragraph, revise line 7 to read ‘ ... disaggregation that ~~is required~~ **one attaches to a discretionary requirement.**’